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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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Washington, D.C. 20436

October 23, 2019

Taylor Amarel  
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Somerville, MA 02144

RE: Freedom of Information Act Request 19-31

Dear Mr. Amarel:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated September 25, 2019, and received by us on October 24, 2019, in which you request:

“All emails sent to, from, or copied to: Jason Kearns, from January 1, 2016 to Present Day containing any of the following non-case-sensitive key-string "big data", "surveillance", "machine learning", "CCTV", or "automated intelligence".”

After thoroughly searching our records, we did not locate any records responsive to your request. Therefore, the disposition of your FOIA request is “no records.”

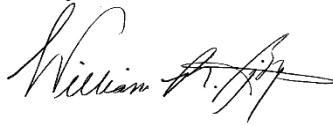
If you are not satisfied with the response to your request, you may file an administrative appeal. If you decide to do so, your appeal must be received within 90 days of the date of this letter. It should be addressed to the Chairman, United States International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, and clearly indicate both on the envelope and in the letter that it is a “Freedom of Information Act Appeal.” It should clearly state the grounds upon which you believe this denial of access to be in error. For further information on appeal procedures, see 19 C.F.R. § 201.18, attached.

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Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, MD 20740; E-mail: [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov)  
Telephone: 202-741-5770; Fax: 202-741-5769; Toll-free: 1-877-684-6448.

If you have any questions, need assistance, or would like to discuss any aspect of your request, please feel free to call me at 202-205-2595.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William R. Bishop", with a stylized flourish at the end.

William R. Bishop  
Supervisory Hearings and Information Officer

Attachment 19 C.F.R. § 201.18